

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116 -  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE - EXAMINING GROUP 3676

Attorney's Docket No. 038190/269125

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Keith A. Etling Confirmation No.: 9125  
Appl. No.: 10/749,762 Group No.: 3676  
Filed: 12/31/2003 Examiner: Alison K. Pickard  
For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR SEALING SURFACES

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Commissioner for Patents  
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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of 3 months to respond to the Office Action dated August 17, 2009.

2. Applicant is  other than a small entity.  a small entity;

3. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(a)(5)):

Total Months Requested	Fee For Other Than Small Entity	Fee for Small Entity
<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$130.00	\$65.00
<input type="checkbox"/> two months	\$490.00	\$245.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> three months	\$1,110.00	\$555.00
<input type="checkbox"/> four months	\$1,730.00	\$865.00
<input type="checkbox"/> five months*	\$2,350.00	\$1,175.00

\*Cannot be used to exceed six-month statutory limit for response to an Official Action.

A check in the amount of \$ is enclosed.

Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for the extension fee.

All fees are being authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 16-0605 when electronically filing

Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for any fee deficiency.

Respectfully submitted,

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